



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Britton Chance
Serial No. : 09/622,184
Filed : August 11, 2000
Title : DETECTION, IMAGING AND CHARACTERIZATION OF BREAST TUMORS

Art Unit : Unknown
Examiner : Unknown

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR REFUND

On August 11, 2000, Applicant paid the required fees for filing a U.S. National Phase Application by way of an enclosed check (in the amount of **\$900.00**, copy enclosed).

On February 28, 2001, a fee in the amount of **\$216.00** was charged to Fish & Richardson's Deposit Account No. 06-1050. Accordingly, the charge to Deposit Account No. 06-1050 was improper.

In reviewing the file, Applicant discovered that they failed to pay for the proper amount of claims i.e., $(66 - 20 = 46 \times \$9 = \$414.00 \text{ (Claims in excess of twenty)})$; $4 - 3 = 1 \times \$40 = \$40.00 \text{ (Independent claims in excess of 3)}$; **\$135.00 (Multiple dependent claim fee)** total = **\$944.00**. Applicants respectfully request that the overcharge amount of **\$172.00** ($\$216.00 - \$44.00 = \172.00) be refunded to Fish & Richardson's Deposit Account No. 06-1050 referencing Attorney Docket No. **08326/045002** as a credit.

Please attach the fee calculation sheet to the denial letter for refund.
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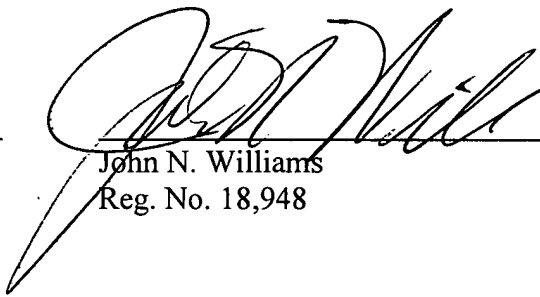
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Respectfully submitted,

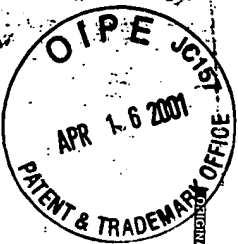
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